5. Failure to extend time for indictment in this instance would thus operate to bar

Defendant from reviewing the Government's plea offer in a meaningful way prior to indictment;

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likely be less advantageous to the Defendant;

6. The ends of justice served by this continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and the Defendant in a speedy indictment. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that defendant's Motion to Extend Time for Indictment requesting an extension of thirty (30) days within which the government may seek to indict defendant, is hereby granted. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. 3161, the Government shall have an extension of thirty (30) days to file a timely Indictment. Excludable time shall begin to run on the 31<sup>st</sup> day after arrest for a period of thirty (30) days in which the Government may present the case to the grand jury. DATED this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May, 2008. Lawrence O. Anderson United States Magistrate Judge